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~~There is provided a solid pharmaceutical composition in a dosage form that is not enteric-~~
coated, having active ingredients including a non-enteric coated proton pump inhibitor and at
least one buffering agent. The proton pump inhibitor is omeprazole, lansoprazole, rabeprazole,
esomeprazole, pantoprazole, pariprazole, and leminoprazole, or an enantiomer, isomer,
derivative, free base, or salt thereof, in an amount of approximately 5 mg to approximately 300
mg; and the buffering agent is in an amount of approximately 0.1 mEq to approximately 2.5 mEq
per mg of proton pump inhibitor. The dosage form includes a suspension tablet, a chewable
tablet, an effervescent powder, or an effervescent tablet. Also provided is a method for treating
an acid-related gastrointestinal disorder in a subject in need thereof by administering to the
~~subject a solid pharmaceutical composition.~~